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The status of the above-identified application is respectfully requested.

The above-referenced application was filed on August 4, 2003 and was published on February 12, 2004. The PAIR status shows that the application was docketed to the Examiner on July 22, 2004, but to date there has been no further communications from the USPTO.

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